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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated October 27, 2003 and the Advisory Action dated April 15, 2004, the time period have been extended from March 27, 2004 (2-month extension fee paid with response filed March 29, 2004) until April 27, 2004 by the enclosed petition for extension of time. In the prosecution of this application please consider the following: